

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

## INFORMATION REPORT

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COUNTRY	East Germany	REPORT	<input type="text"/>	25X1
SUBJECT	Ernst Thaelmann Werft	DATE DISTR.	23 July 1953	
DATE OF INFO.	<input type="text"/>	NO. OF PAGES	3	
PLACE ACQUIRED	<input type="text"/>	REQUIREMENT NO.	RD	25X1
		REFERENCES		

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1.  the position of the shipbuilding at the Ernst Thaelmann dockyards in Brandenburg was as follows: 25X1

Type	Percentages			Remarks
	Intended	Actual	Deficient	
Seiner tug	100	99.8	0.2	Ship is being prepared for hand-over.
"	100	99.7	0.3	Fitting of hold to be completed 25X1
"	100	98.9	1.1	Launched <input type="text"/> First painting of hull <input type="text"/> Second painting <input type="text"/>
"	100	93	7.	25X1
"	100	69	31.	Engine fitted. Shortage of galvanized tubing.
"	100	48	55	First painting commenced. Tail shaft and propellor mounted. Work is under way on the gunhalls.

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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Type	Percentages			Remarks
	Intended	Actual	Deficient	
Seiner tug	100	31	69	Work under progress on the protective coatings. Rest of riveting finished 25X1
"	96	27	69	Engine room and hold riveted. Building of stern delayed because of rejection of plates.
Seiner	98	16	82	Remaining sections in place. Seams welded. Stern erected.
"	78	10	68	Sections I-IV, a part of the side sections and bulkheads are in place with crossbeams for welding.
Seiner	54	2	52	Crossbeams in place, Sections I-V to be placed in position.
"	42	0	42	To be worked in sections.
"	35	0	35	25X1
Seiner	23	0	23	
"	10	0	10	Ribs to be curved. 25X1
"	6	0	6	No preparation.
"	2	0	2	No preparation.
Schwalbe	100	91	9	(No fundamental per-
"	100	83	17	centages of progress 25X1
"	100	71	29	(can be shown
"	100	59	41	
"	100	49	51	
"	92	13	79	(Tubing and rolled metals are in short supply. The detailed construction plans have not been received as yet.
Dry Lighter	100	90.5	9.5	Painting, woodwork, and tube fitting will be carried out. Completion is held up because of a shortage of motors for the pumps, tubing $\frac{1}{2}$ cm., $\frac{3}{4}$ cm., and 2 cm., switchboards, ventilation intakes, etc.
"	100	46.5	53.5	Only minor work can be carried out as materials for protective coatings and decking are not available.

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	<u>Intended</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Deficient</u>	
Barge (Schute) without engine	19	0	19	Materials not available.
Tanker	41	5.5	35.5	Material for bulwarks and ribs has arrived.
Barge (Schute) with engine	2	0	2	No construction bed ready.

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